

UNITED STATES JUDICIAL PANEL

on

MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

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Western District of Kentucky

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May 2, 2008

Michael W. Dobbins, Clerk  
Everett McKinley Dirksen U.S. Courthouse  
219 South Dearborn Street  
Chicago, IL 60604

Re: MDL No. 1940 -- IN RE: Aqua Dots Products Liability Litigation

(See Attached CTO-1)

Dear Mr. Dobbins:

I am enclosing a certified copy and one additional copy of a conditional transfer order filed by the Panel in the above-captioned matter on April 16, 2008. As stipulated in Rule 7.4(a) of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), transmittal of the order has been stayed 15 days to give any party an opportunity to oppose the transfer. The 15-day period has now elapsed, no opposition was received, and the order is directed to you for filing.

The Panel's governing statute, 28 U.S.C. §1407, requires that the transferee clerk "...transmit a certified copy of the Panel's order to transfer to the clerk of the district court from which the action is being transferred."

A list of involved counsel is attached.

Very truly,

Jeffery N. Lüthi  
Clerk of the Panel

By

  
Mecca S. Thompson  
Docket Specialist

Attachment

cc: Transferee Judge: Judge David H. Coar  
Transferor Judge: Judge Thomas B. Russell  
Transferor Clerk: Jeffrey A. Apperson

Inasmuch as no objection is pending at this time, the stay is lifted.

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**IN RE: AQUA DOTS PRODUCTS  
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Marilyn W. Walker v. Spin Master, Ltd., et al., )  
W.D. Kentucky, C.A. No. 5:08-29 )

MDL No. 1940

**CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-1)**

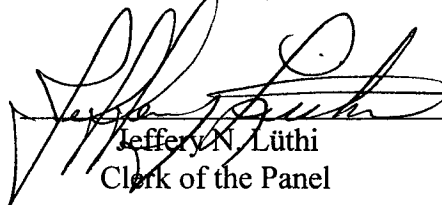
On April 9, 2008, the Panel transferred six civil actions to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. *See* \_\_\_F.Supp.2d\_\_\_ (J.P.M.L. 2008). With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable David H. Coar.

It appears that the action on this conditional transfer order involves questions of fact that are common to the actions previously transferred to the Northern District of Illinois and assigned to Judge Coar.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), this action is transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the Northern District of Illinois for the reasons stated in the order of April 9, 2008, and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable David H. Coar.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed 15 days from the entry thereof. If any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this 15-day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

FOR THE PANEL:

  
Jeffery N. Lüthi  
Clerk of the Panel

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